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Re: U.S. Patent Application No. 10/010,613  
Filed: December 5, 2001  
Title: Coded Items for Labeling Objects  
Applicants: Paul H. KAYE *et al.*  
Atty. Docket: 17893.006

Sir:

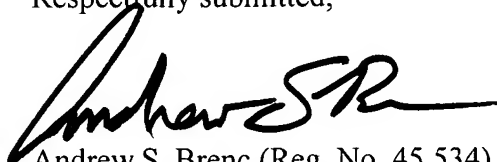
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1. a Revocation of Prior Power of Attorney, Appointment of New Attorneys of Record and Change of Correspondence Address with an attached copy of an executed Assignment, including Schedule A; and
2. Return postcard.

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Respectfully submitted,



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Sir:

3D MOLECULAR SCIENCES LIMITED is the assignee of the entire right, title and interest in the following applications:

U.S. Application No. 10/010,613, filed December 5, 2001, U.S. Application No. 09/634,514, filed August 8, 2000, U.S. Application No. 09/743,078, filed July 2, 1999, and U.S. Application No. 09/066,296, filed October 25, 1996, by virtue of the attached assignment.

The undersigned, having express authority to represent 3D MOLECULAR SCIENCES LIMITED as assignee, hereby revokes all powers of attorney heretofore given in the above-referenced applications and appoints the attorneys listed below with full power of substitution, association, and revocation, to prosecute said application and to transact all business in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office connected therewith.

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DATE: 26 JUNE 2002

~~Schedule 3~~ 1831.

Assignment of University Inventions and University Patents

THIS ASSIGNMENT is made on 18<sup>th</sup> February 2002 BETWEEN:

**PARTIES**

- (1) UNIVERSITY OF HERTFORDSHIRE HIGHER EDUCATION CORPORATION of Hatfield Campus, College Lane Hatfield, Hertfordshire AL10 9AB ("University") and
- (2) 3D MOLECULAR SCIENCES LIMITED (Company No. 04179508) whose registered office is at Harston Mill, Harston, Cambridge, CB2 5GG ("3DMS")

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The parties agree as follows:

- 1 The following terms have the following meaning:

"University Inventions" means the subject matter of the University Patents; and

"University Patents" means the patents and patent applications listed in Schedule A.

- 2 Pursuant to an agreement between the University and 3DMS dated 18 Feb. 2002, ("the Main Agreement") the University assigns to 3DMS with full title guarantee subject to the provisions of the Main Agreement the University Patents and the University Inventions including the right to:

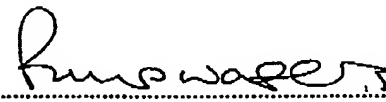
- (a) apply for, prosecute and obtain patent or similar protection throughout the world in respect of the University Inventions and including the right to claim priority from any of the University Patents;
- (b) take all actions and proceedings as may be necessary and recover damages or otherwise in respect of any infringement of the rights assigned by this

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- (c) apply for and obtain patent or similar protection throughout the world in respect of the University Inventions and including the right to claim priority from any applications forming part of the University Patents.

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Signed by  
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Date: 18/02/02

Signed by HELEN BARRETT-MAGUIE )  
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Date: 18/02/02

Schedule A

University Patents

**University of Hertfordshire**  
Coded Microparticles

S&R File Number	Appin/Patent No + Status	Country Code	Title	Next Action	Due Date
PA 2747	GB 2289150 Granted	UK	Coded Items for Labelling Objects	Renewal	24.04.02
PA 2747 PCT/AU	706,619 Granted	AU	Coded Items for Labelling Objects	Renewal	31.03.02
PA 2747 PCT/CA	2188386 Pending	CA	Coded Items for Labelling Objects	Sub-Exam requested. Await Exam Report Annual Renewal.	31.03.02
PA 2747 PCT/EP	EP 0757830B Granted	EP	Coded Items for Labelling Objects	Nationalised in Austria, Belgium, Switzerland, Germany, France, UK, Italy Renewal	31.03.02
PA 2747 PCT/JP	071527430 Pending	JP	Coded Items for Labelling Objects	Sub-Exam requested. Await Exam Report	
PA 2747 PCT/US	09/565,426 Lapsed and Replaced by PA 4125 US	US	Coded Items for Labelling Objects		
PA2747.1PCT/EP (Divisional EP)	EP 0866435 A Pending	EP	Coded Items for Labelling Objects	Allowed to grant. File approval. Renewal.	06.06.02 31.03.02
PA 2747.1 (Divisional UK)	GB 2,318,666B Granted	GB	Coded Items for Labelling Objects	Renewal	24.04.02
PA4125 US	10/010,613 Pending	US	Coded Items for Labelling Objects	Await Exam Report	

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PA 2863	9622249.3 Granted	UK	Combichem Coded Particles	Renewal due	25.10.02
PA 2863 PCT/EP	96935090.9 Granted	EP	Combichem Coded Particles	Translations to be filed for all designated countries under way.	12.03.02
PA 2863 PCT/AU	73184/96 Granted	AU	Combichem Coded Particles	Renewal	31.10.02
PA 2863 PCT/CA	22351837 Pending	CA	Combichem Coded Particles	Renewal	25.10.02
PA 2863 PCT/JP	51 6411/1997 Pending	JP	Combichem Coded Particles	Await next exam report	25.10.02
PA 2863 PCT/US	09/066,296 Pending	US	Combichem Coded Particles	Exam Req due	25.10.03
PA 2863.1 PCT/EP	00105243.0 Pending	EP	Combichem Coded Particles	Await Exam Report	-
			Combichem Coded Particles	Exam response due	22.02.02

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S&R File Number	Appn/Patent No. Status	Country Code	Title	Next Action	Due Date
PA 3168	9814259.9 Pending	UK	Improvements to Fabrication and Method of Use of Coded Particles in Combinatorial Chemistry.	Await Exam Report	
PA 3168 US	097743078 Pending	US	Improvements to Fabrication and Method of Use of Coded Particles in Combinatorial Chemistry.	Await Exam Report	
P3280	GB 2334347B Granted	UK	An Improved Method of Fabricating Coded Particles	Renewal due	15.02.03